

File: FOIA CBP-OFO-2016-052998

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Dear Mr. Abady:

This is in reference to the Freedom of Information Act and/or Privacy Act request filed on June 15, 2016 and forwarded for processing July 15, 2016. You requested production of records relating to case 2016250620021901.

The documents responsive to your request are exempt from the access provision of the Privacy Act pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552a(j)(2) and 5 U.S.C. § 552a(k)(2). Accordingly your access rights are limited to those provided by the Freedom of Information Act, as amended.

We have located and reviewed 63 responsive records. I have determined that 62 pages are appropriate for release. Lastly, 1 page is being withheld in full under the provisions of 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(2).

You are advised that the citation of a particular exemption for withholding a document or portion thereof is not intended to indicate that other exemptions specified by the Freedom of Information Act are not applicable. You have the right to appeal any denial or partial denial of your request within 35 days after the date of this notification. This appeal should be submitted to the FOIA Appeals Officer, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue N.W., Mint Annex, Washington D.C. 20229, and have the words "Freedom of Information Act Appeal" printed conspicuously on the face of the envelope. See Appendix C, 3 (c) to 31 C.F.R. Part 1.

In the event the FOIA Appeals Officer should (1) fail to issue a determination of your appeal within 20 working days of its receipt (plus 10 additional working days if you are notified that an extension of time is required and applicable), or (2) deny your appeal, you may obtain judicial review pursuant to

5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(B) in the United States district court in the district (1) in which you reside, (2) in which your principal place of business is located, (3) in which the agency records are situated, or (4) in the District of Columbia.

Sincerely,

Rosa E. Hernandez Port Director

Enclosure